



***Annual Meeting***  
**August 13, 2026, at 6:00 P.M. (CT)**  
**in person at Ag. Conference Center**  
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**PRESS RELEASE**

CareerSource Chipola celebrated its 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting on August 13, 2026, in Marianna, Florida.

In addition to hearing multiple success stories, the organization celebrated the 2025 – 2026 outgoing Board officers: Donnie Read from Liberty County as chair, Tracy Andrews from Washington County as the vice-chair, and Janice Sumner from Calhoun County as secretary/treasurer for CareerSource Chipola.

Donnie Read passed the gavel to Tracy Andrews from Washington County, installing her as the new chair, along with welcoming Al Bryant from Liberty County as the new vice-chair, and Kyle Coates from Holmes County as the new secretary/treasurer for CareerSource Chipola.

CareerSource Chipola also recognized the City of Marianna as the Hopkins Employer of the Year and David Corbin of Washington County as the Hollingsworth Board Member of the Year. Both of these awards are named after former board members, Bill Hopkins and Jean Hollingsworth, who were outstanding representatives of their respective communities and made significant contributions to forwarding the mission of CareerSource Chipola.

Outgoing chair, Donnie Read, thanked those in attendance for giving him the opportunity to lead the organization and said he was grateful to be part of an organization that is doing so much to help employers as well as job seekers in the area.

CareerSource Chipola is a non-profit corporation providing job skill training and employment services in Calhoun, Holmes, Jackson, Liberty, and Washington Counties. CSC works with multiple education facilities as well as state and local agencies to help our residents obtain and maintain employment as well as working with employers to help them find the workforce they need. The majority of CSC board members must come from the private sector.